

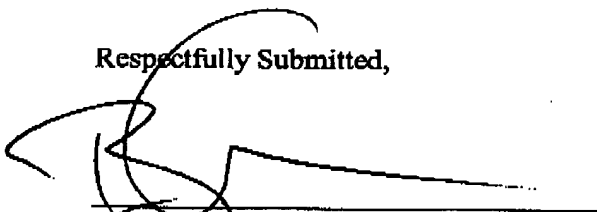
REMARKS

Claims 1-20 are pending in the present application. Claims 21-52 were previously canceled. Claims 1-20 have been rejected under the doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims in US patent 6,737,968. In response to the rejection, claims 1-20 have been canceled, and new claims 53-72 have been added.

It is respectfully submitted that all claims are patentable over the prior art. It is further more respectfully submitted that all other matters have been addressed and remedied and that the application is in form for allowance. Should there remain unresolved issues that require adverse action, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner telephone Bruce A. Johnson, Applicants' Attorney at 512-301-9900 so that such issues may be resolved as expeditiously as possible.

Respectfully Submitted,

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